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District of Columbia,
County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.
November Term, }
IN CHANCERY.
James Sanderson, *Complainant,*
AGAINST
Catherine F. McCall; and John Creighton and William Gilham, the two last under the firm of John Creighton & Company, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Catherine F. McCall not having entered her appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, John Creighton & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of the said county.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 25

PROPOSALS
BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription,
A BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS
TO THE
Declaration of Independence,
ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES:
To which will be annexed a history of the proceedings of congress during the passage of the law, and the Declaration itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures.

BY PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC.

IT seems a little surprising that amongst so many subjects as have been presented for American Biography, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to the Declaration of Independence have been overlooked or disregarded. The eyes of thousands have dwelt with rapture upon the document that announced to the world that "these United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free, sovereign, and independent states;" while we are better acquainted with the handwriting than with the characters of many of those illustrious men who have added their signatures to that instrument. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with a few splendid exceptions, gone to their graves, and it behoves a generous posterity, sensible of their obligations, to preserve their fame. The longer we neglect the payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become.—Traits of individual character are fugitive and evanescent; and if they are not snatched by the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an early season, from the cold grasp of death, will soon partake of the oblivion of the body.—It is not the object of the present attempt to deal in that profusion of indiscriminate and unsparing panegyric, so often and so falsely dignified with the name of Biography: we wish to represent the characters as they were; they stand in need of no panegyric; and we earnestly solicit from the surviving relations and friends of those revolutionary patriots all the information that will tend to a developement of character. ... is the creature of circumstance, and ... wish to show the progress of those pa... ots from their first resistance of colonial ... gression, until they stood forth the noble ... undaunted champions of their country's ... ependence. All this can only be done ... a familiar acquaintance with the lives of ... se men, and whoever of the surviving ... nds or relatives will furnish facts and ... umstances in their possession to unfold ... illustrate their characters, shall be en... d to a copy of the work as a recom... se. It is contemplated, wherever it is ... ticable, further to embellish the medi... l work with correct likenesses of the ... ects of our biography, executed by the ... eminent artists in the country. For ... purpose we again solicit the assistance ... eir surviving relatives and friends. If ... will transmit to the publisher any en... ng or portrait from which a copy may ... ken, the original shall be faithfully re... d, and shall likewise be remunerated ... a copy of the work. In the first num... is proposed to give an account of the ... ration of Independence, from the first ... n that was made on the floor of con... ntil its final passage into a law, a pe... mbracing much curious and secret ... : finally, we promise to add to our ... mber the Declaration of Indepen... itself, with fac-simile engravings of ... natures. We have now compendi... tated the objects of our present un... ng, and we hope that it will be un... ry to mention that no exertions on ... t shall be spared.

... public are now in possession of our ... which does indeed seem to be de... , by the avidity so recently display... he possession of the Declaration of ... dence, since it is of very little im... become acquainted with a man's ... iting without a previous knowledge ... an. The secret history of our De... of Independence, the lives of those ... e affixed their signatures to that in... , accompanied by their likenesses, ... y the Declaration itself with fac... the signatures, will bring into one ... view the prominent facts of that ... g crisis.

CONDITIONS.

... work will be published in num... alf volumes, of 150 pages octavo, ... e contained in ten numbers.
... will be printed on fine paper made ... for the purpose, and delivered to ... s at two dollars and fifty cents per ... ne or number, payable on deliv...

... scriptions will be received at the ... e Alexandria Gazette.
... er 29

For Freight.

The substantial, well built and fast sailing ship NEW-JERSEY, burthen, 400 tons or 4300 barrels, now in complete order for the reception of a cargo. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
2nd mo. 6 tuth-1m

For Norfolk,

The schr GEO. WASHINGTON capt. Jackson, will sail Saturday, the 6th inst. For freight or passage apply on board at Ramsay's wharf, or to
JOHN M'COBB,
Who has received per said vessel and for sale
10 qr casks sweet Malaga wine
16 boxes muscatel raisins
90 do bloom do
10 hhds 3d proof Antigua rum
1 hhd and 2 bbls sugar
10 Seroons Spanish tobacco
4 tierces do do
March 4 3t

For Freight,

The new and fast sailing brig Nereus, burthen 225 tons or about 2000 bbls. she is a superior copper fastened vessel, and daily expected from an Eastern port.

Also,

The schooner LAUREL, Thomas C. Stephens, master. She is a fine new vessel, of 100 tons burthen, for which a freight for Oporto or Lisbon would be preferred. She will probably be here in a few days. Apply to
February 24 JOHN H. LADD & Co.

For Freight,

The ship MARIA, J. Swaine, master, carries 3,500 barrels, is an excellent vessel, and in complete order to receive a cargo on board. Apply to
LAWARASON & FOWLE.

For Sale,

The schr UNION, burthen 100 tons or about 900 barrels, built of the best materials near New Bedford, is coppered and copper fastened, and can be sent on a voyage at a trifling expense. She will be sold low and on liberal credit. If not sold at private sale, will be offered at auction on SATURDAY next at 12 o'clock, as she now lays at Central wharf. Apply as above.
February 23

For Freight,

The fine fast sailing Schr. FARMERS FRIEND, A. Seemis, master burthen, 80 tons or 450 barrels. She is nearly new, and will be in complete order for the reception of a cargo in 8 days. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
2 mo 20

For Sale.

The elegant and very fast sailing sloop FRANCES, burthen 40 tons, nearly new, and in complete order.—Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
2 mo 20

For Sale,

A small schooner, well calculated for the approaching fishing season.
ALSO,
Four casks real Bridport seine twine, with a general assortment of rope, tar, boards, scantling, shingles, &c. &c.
JOSIAH HEWES DAVIS.
February 15 3w

Liverpool Salt and Coal.

FOR SALE, the cargo of the ship Hazard, W. Crabtree, jr. master, from Liverpool, of salt and coal. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Freight,

The ship HAZARD, burthen 3300 bls is in complete order and ready to load as soon as her present cargo can be discharged. Apply as above.
january 19

For Freight,

The sloop ALERT, capt. Smith, carries about 450 barrels, an excellent vessel, and will take freight for any southern port. Apply to
jan 14 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Pinkerton's Grand Modern ATLAS.

THIS very superior Atlas is now completed, and ready for delivery to subscribers.
Gentlemen wishing to be possessed of this very valuable work will please apply to
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
February 25. thstu6t

Slaves for Sale.

ON the 10th day of April, in the present year, will be sold to the highest bidder, for ready money, in the town of Leesburg, in the county of Loudoun, several valuable slaves, in pursuance of a deed of trust. The title is indisputable.
jan 5 tutA10 EDM. I. LEE.

Was Committed

TO the jail for the county of Alexandria, on the 17th inst. as a runaway, a negro man, who calls himself MOSES DAVIS, and says he formerly belonged to a Nelly Rallings, at Fell's Point, Baltimore, and that Doctor Colter, of Baltimore, can inform his mistress of him. Said negro is about 27 years of age, five feet, six inches high, dressed in sailor's clothes; he says he sailed from Baltimore twelve years ago with capt. Penrice, in the Brig Joseph, and has been absent from his mistress ever since.
The owner is desired to come prove property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise, he will be disposed of as the law directs.
ANDW. ROUNSAVELL, Jailor.
February 26.

English & German Almanacs

For 1819,

WITH a large and general stock of *school books and stationary,* suitable for the country trade, for sale by
Oct 8 JOHN A. STEWART.

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,
which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of
ROMAN CATHOLICISM:
To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.
BY A PROTESTANT.
Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

PRINTING,

IN
All its various branches,
AT
S. H. DAVIS'S
PRINTING-OFFICE,
PRINTER'S ALLEY,
In the rear of W. F. Thornton's druggist store, *Fairfax-street,*
ALEXANDRIA.

Liverpool Salt.

TWO THOUSAND bushels coarse Liverpool salt, the cargo of the sloop A lert, for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have just received 100 boxes fresh raisins.
january 13

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:
Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs, Accidents of life
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper
August 28

New Books.

Just received on consignment, and for sale by the subscriber,
TALES of my landlord, second series
New tales, by Mrs Opie
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D D
Events of the French Revolution, by the baroness de Stael; O'Reiley's Greenland
Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. 1
Taylor's Arator, 4th edition
Raffle's tour on the continent
Village sermons; Olive-Branch
Dwight's geography for schools, in which Europe is divided according to the late act of the congress of Vienna Also,
A few copies of Bible News or Sacred Truths relating to the Living God, his only Son, and Holy Spirit, by Noah Worcester, A M
Oct 16 ROBERT GRAY.

Romulus Riggs's
EXCHANGE BANKING-HOUSE,
AND
BROKER'S OFFICE,
Bridge-street, Georgetown.

THIS is intended as a permanent establishment, and the community will find it one of the greatest conveniences in the United States, and of great public utility. At this house the fair exchange on the different bank notes from every part of the union can at all times be had: It is to be hoped that, by the operations of this office, the community will get rid of a host of Shiocks, Shavers, Secret and Running Brokers, who infest the District, frequently proclaiming the failure of country solvent banks, for the express purpose of purchasing the notes of such institutions at great discounts. Business under the following heads will be transacted. This establishment possesses funds to negotiate for any amount, and all business done for cash.

1st. All bank checks, bills at sight, post notes not due, and bank notes from all parts of the United States, bought and sold.

2d. All notes, bills of exchange, dividends and interests, collected and remitted according to orders.

3d. The notes of the United States' bank and all of its branches received at par.

4th. Strangers, citizens, and others, may deposit current money for safe keeping—and if left for thirty days, or longer, will receive at the rate of six per cent. per annum for the same.

5th. All business in the line of a money broker promptly attended to for a small commission.

6th. All southern and western traders, bringing to the district large sums of southern and western bank notes, can deposit for safe keeping, and draw for the same as may suit their convenience.

7th. Prompt attention paid to the orders of all respectable brokers and exchange offices throughout the United States—who will please to favor me occasionally with their rates of exchange on bank notes and bills.
Georgetown, Dec. 9

Piano Fortes.

TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes, with the additional keys, for sale by
JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

The Gentleman's
ANNUAL POCKET REMEMBRANCER
For 1819,

CONTAINING—The Almanac; ruled pages for memorandums; duties payable on goods, &c.; naval and custom house officers; public appraisers; information concerning patents; post office establishment; official army and navy lists; a correct register of the American navy; marine corps; government of the U. States, executive, legislative and judiciary; territorial governments; intercourse with foreign nations; directors and cashiers of the bank of the U. States, &c. &c.

ALSO,
THE LADY's POCKET-BOOK for 1819,
Containing—The Almanac; ruled pages for memorandums; description of Pitcairn's island; bishop Watson's letter on a future state; remarks on female dress and on marriage; morality of the Battledore; account of the Cherokee schools. *Selected Poetry*—Answers to last year's enigmas; charades; new and fashionable songs; rebusses. New country dances and waltzes; marketing tables; tables reducing shillings and pence to cents; also for showing the value of dollars in pounds, shillings and pence—
Are just received for sale by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
November 24 dtf

Sugar, &c.

LANDING from the brig Union, capt. Williams, from Marblehead, and for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE,
150 bags white sugars, superior quality
220 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia duck
200 do heavy and light ravens do
200 do white and brown shirtings
4000 lbs soft shelled almonds. jan 1

Salt.

TEN THOUSAND bushels of Liverpool coarse—Cadiz and Turks Island salt, received per brigs Benefactor and Dove, and schr Virginia Ann, and for sale by M. Miller & Son, or
jan 22 T. H. HOWLAND.

Mahogany on Sale.

THE subscriber has on hand and offers for sale 4 or 5000 feet first quality St. Domingo and Bay MAHOGANY, at the Baltimore prices for CASH, or to punctual customers at the usual credit.—Gentlemen who are building can be supplied with hand railing cut to any dimensions, at a short notice—also any orders for furniture which the subscriber may be favored with, from persons residing either in town or the country will be promptly attended to and executed in a superior stile.
ROBT. ABERCROMBIE.
Corner of King and Alfred streets,
jan 20

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.

December 5, 1818.
THE Stockholders of the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria are hereby notified that one quarter of the seventh instalment is called for to this institution, payable at the Bank on the 19th January next, one quarter on the 19th of February, and one half of the eighth instalment on the 19th of March next. By order of the Board,
Dec 7 P. H. MINER, Cashier.

Spirits, Sugar, &c.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality Antigua and Jamaica spirits
Superfine Barbados sugar, in hhds
Jamaica pimento
Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts—for sale on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st.
N. REILLY.

Sugar, Apples, &c.

RECEIVED by the sloop Rising-Sun, capt. Smith, from Providence, R. I. and for sale by E. CORNING,
Vowell's wharf,
60 bbls brown sugar
5 hhds N. E. rum
2 pipes gin
27 bbls cider
50 do apples
70 bushels potatoes
3000 wt. codfish jan 4

Exchange & Broker's Office,

Georgetown, District of Columbia.
ROMULUS RIGGS.
AT his office, next door below Crawford's tavern. Bridge-st Georgetown, will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on the most reasonable terms.—All persons who may have notes on the banks of North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, would do well to call on him, as he is largely in the purchase of that kind of money, and will take it on the most reasonable terms.—Persons travelling to the Western Country may at all times get the Bank Notes of the Western Banks at a fair discount, by calling at his Office. For the information of all persons throughout the U. States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all of the Banks of the District of Columbia pay their notes on demand in specie; and it would be much to the advantage of the merchants, and trading to the South and west, to encourage the circulation of the Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, as it will at all times answer for remittances to the large commercial and Atlantic towns;—all persons emigrating or travelling to the westward should be very particular and take the Notes of the Banks of the District of Columbia, as they will find them the most current, there being no counterfeits on the District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of Alexandria has long since failed—all persons should be on their guard, as they will be imposed on.
August 18

Valuable Family Medicines.

JUST received direct from the proprietors, the following valuable Medicines, all of which have been in use for a number of years past, in almost every part of the United States; have been highly patronised by people of the first respectability; and approved by those who have had occasion to make use of them, for the cure of those disorders, for which they are severally calculated.

Dr. Lee's Genuine (Windham) Bilious Pills,

Universally known and used throughout the United States as a Family Medicine. The fame of these pills has become so great that many have attempted to counterfeit them—to guard against this, the proprietors have procured a Stereotype Label, and each box of Genuine Lee's Pills will hereafter be enclosed in one of these labels, with these words on the sides: "Lee's Genuine Windham Billious Pills," and on the end of the Label the words, "Samuel Lee, patentee, &c. I. Thompson, agent, joint proprietor," &c. and should any be offered for sale without said Label on them, the purchaser may be apprised that they are counterfeit.

Dr. Thompson's Celebrated Eye-Water:

For the cure of inflamed and sore eyes of almost every description. This valuable preparation comes highly recommended from the most respectable sources. Price 50 and 25 cents a bottle.

Dr. Rawson's Genuine Itch Ointment:

A certain and safe cure for that disagreeable complaint, as well as other irruptions of the skin. Price 37½ cents a box.

Dr. Rawson's Anti-Bilious and Stomachic Bitters,

For weakly and infirm constitutions. Price 37½ cents a box.

Hinckley's Infallible Remedy for the Piles,

A most valuable medicine. Price 50 cents a box.

Specific Drops for the Tooth Ache,

Which in almost every case, gives instant relief, in that distressing complaint. Price 37½ cents a bottle.

Cooley's Vegetable Elixir, for Coughs, Asthmas, Consumptions, &c.

A very valuable medicine in those complaints Price 50 cents a bottle.
For sale in Alexandria, by *Edward Stabler & Richard H. Litle;* in Georgetown, by *John Litle Otho. M. Linthicum & Co. & Nathaniel Jewit;* Washington City, *David Ott & Elisha Harrison.* 6w March 1

Bricklayers and Stone Masons Wanted.

I WISH to employ for the ensuing season a number of bricklayers and stone masons, to whom constant employment and good wages will be given, at Old Point Comfort, on Chesapeake Bay. None need apply but good workmen and men of steady habits. Apply to the subscriber at old Point Comfort. BOLITHA LAWS.
February 6 tA1
The National Intelligencer and Federal Gazette will publish the above till April 1.

Shoes and Hats

S. & D. REED
HAVE just received a fresh supply, consisting of the following kinds—
Ladies' morocco bootees [colored
Do walking shoes, black &
Do leather do
Do cork sole do
Do morocco slips with military heels
Do black and colored
Do kid slips do
Misses' and children's morocco and leather shoes
Men's calf skin shoes [ther shoes
Do thick do; boys' thick and bound do
Men's and boys low priced hats
Boys' white wool low priced do
2 boxes ladies' fine straw bonnets
All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, or at the usual time to punctual dealers that purchase by the quantity. We take this method to inform country merchants that we have made arrangements for a large supply of shoes for the ensuing spring, and shall be able to furnish them at the lowest Baltimore and Philadelphia prices. tf February 12

W. & W. Hannon,

CABINET-MAKERS,
RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public in general, that they still continue to carry on the above business in all its various branches, at the same old stand, Royal-st. between King and Prince, and have now on hand a handsome assortment of cabinet ware, all of their own manufacture; consisting of side-boards, secretarys and book cases, bureaus, ladies' work stands, mahogany and stained wood beadsteads, cradles, sophas and easy-chairs, one handsome mahogany writing desk, &c. &c. Also, on hand a large quantity of St. Domingo and Bay Mahogany, in log and boards, and cut to any dimensions at a short notice—four or five thousand feet of elegant veneers for bureaus and secretarys, all of which they are determined to sell lower than the same quality can be had in the district. All kinds of upholstry work done as usual.

They would rent for one or more years a very excellent shop and yard for a carpenter, wheelwright, or blacksmith, situated on Royal-street, between Prince and Duke street.
Feb 11 tf

New Clover Seed, Cheese, &c.

FIFTY bushels fresh warranted Clover Seed
60 casks Goshen cheese
50 barrels whiskey
40 kegs lard in nice shipping order
35 firkins butter
800 lbs. Tennessee live feathers
5 pipes choice London particular Madeira
Murdock & Co. and March & Co's brands, which will be sold low by the pipe or less quantity.
N. B. A general assortment of groceries as usual.
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
February 8

The Public

CAN at all times be supplied, on the very best terms, with checks and bills at sight, and short dates to suit their convenience, on
Baltimore, | New-York,
Philadelphia, | Boston.
Apply at my *Exchange Banking House,* Bridge-street, Georgetown, where the fair and most reasonable exchange can be had on bank notes from all parts of the United States. ROMULUS RIGGS.
February 22

Pork.

A FEW barrels of prime PORK at the ware house of Mr. Ambrose Vasse, Washington-street.
STROTHER M. HELM.
February 20

Wheat, Old Corn, and Maryland Tobacco,

PURCHASED BY
Oct 24 *LAWRASON & FOWLE.*

To the Public.

AN unusual sensibility has been excited in the minds of our countrymen by the copper plate engraving of the Declaration of Independence recently published, accompanied by fac similes of the signatures of those illustrious patriots who framed the document by which our independence was announced to the world. We feel, while we dwell on those signatures, as if we were ushered into the immediate presence of characters so exalted, and we seem for a time to participate in all the emotion which they felt on the approach of so awful a crisis—Hostile armies, desolate fields, towns and cities in conflagration—carnage and death in its most frightful forms apeared in prophetic vision on the one hand, and more than all, the complicated horrors, ignominy and slavery were presented for their acceptance on the other; they deliberated, they paused, they trembled, and at last solemnly appealing to the God of battles, they resolved that the United States were and ought to be free, sovereign and independent. These illustrious patriots, with five solitary exceptions, have now mingled with the common mould—they survive only in their country's glory and in the recollection of a grateful people. But it would be consoling to the present generation, separated as they now are from those patriots, by the intervention of the tomb, to become more intimately acquainted with their revolutionary benefactors. We love to dwell on the features of such men, snatched by the pencil from the oblivion of the grave, and emulate the prominent feats of their biography. Impressed with these ideas, the subscriber proposes, if suitable encouragement is given, to publish the lives of those patriots in numbers, until the whole is completed. The work will be executed in a style not inferior to any European productions, and the portraits by masters of acknowledged merit. The biography will be written by *Paul Allen,* esq. whose intimacy with the several signers, whose familiarity with the privations and hardships they had to undergo, and whose well known talents will be sufficient to ensure the patronage of an enlightened people. In the execution of this work, all that the publisher dares to promise is, that he will endeavor to deserve the confidence of his countrymen, and that no exertion on his part will be wanting to prevent an abuse of that confidence. He ventures to solicit the assistance of those gentlemen in possession of authentic facts and anecdotes, by communicating the intelligence that will serve to illustrate the characters and to enrich the biography of those founders of the American Republic.—Those who are in possession of their portraits would enlarge the obligation by a loan of the same.

A prospectus with the terms will be given in a few days.

JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
48, *Market-street, Baltimore.*
**Any printer who will publish this notice and become responsible for five subscribers, shall receive one copy of the work.
December 22

The National Register

IS a paper which is published, every Saturday, at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, and each number contains sixteen pages octavo, in small but very legible type. It makes two volumes in the year; and every volume is accompanied with a copious Index. The price per annum is five dollars, payable in advance. The Public Documents, both foreign and domestic; the proceedings of Congress, and authentic news of every description, are regularly inserted therein, and accompanied by critical and explanatory remarks. Its value is also enhanced by occasional reviews of literary works; and all its sentiments are decidedly American, independent of all party considerations. For this work, which is well established, regularly published, and transmitted weekly to subscribers by the mail, the public patronage is respectfully solicited.
LAWRENCE, WILSON & Co.
December 12

GAZETTE
AND
Alexandria Daily Advertiser.

PUBLISHED BY
SAMUEL SNOWDEN.

Daily Gazette, 7 dolls...Country, 5 dolls.

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1819.

From the National Intelligencer.

OF THE NORTH OF EUROPE.

Interesting extract from a letter addressed by a gentleman on board of the United States' frigate Guerriere, then in the North of Europe, to his friend, a member of Congress.

United States frigate Gurriere, off Cape Trafalgar, Nov. 5, 1818.

My two last letters contained some general remarks on Petersburg—in this, I will speak of some of its monuments and edifices. The equestrian statue of Peter the Great, is already familiar to you, since no traveller has omitted a description of it. But, their accounts have bordered on hyperbole, insomuch that its majesty fell far short of my expectations. The next objects in order of magnificence, may be mentioned the palaces of the Imperial family, of which, there are seven or eight in the city and environs. Excepting the one built by Peter the Great, when he commenced the foundation of Petersburg, and which contains very few rooms, the number of apartments in each averages between two and three hundred. Three or four of the palaces are much more splendid than any I saw in Italy. In the hermitage a sort of appendage to the winter or court palace, to which the Imperial family retreat from court, bustle and parade, I counted between twenty and thirty apartments of paintings by the first artists of Europe. Besides these, there are statues, mineralogical cabinets, antiques, &c. &c. together with nearly all the presents in jewellery and trinkets from the different European and Asiatic sovereigns to the different Russian monarchs for more than a century. A description of them would fill a large volume. One, however, I think worthy of notice, not more from its ridiculous extravagance, than for its striking display of the genius of the donor. It is a gold Peacock, Fowl, Frog and Grasshopper, as large as life, and so connected with machinery as to exhibit the gestures of those animals on ordinary occasions.

The churches next in splendor, and first to one who views the city from a distance, are about forty-five in number. Their towering domes and lofty spires overlooking all other edifices, are covered with plates of copper overlaid with ducat gold. their interior is equally rich and splendid. In the church of St. Alexander Newsky, the protecting saint of the empire, are deposited his relicts; over which has been erected a shrine containing 3600 lbs. weight of silver. And the Casan church, built by the present emperor, and intended as a rival of St. Peters, of Rome, is furnished still more expensively. In these two are the remains of Suwarroff and Kutusoff, over which lighted tapers are perpetually burning. From the walls of the churches are suspended the standards taken from France Turkey and Persia, by the Russian army, and the keys of many fortresses and cities.

The hospitals, custom house, admiralty and arsenal, are well worth a particular description, as are also the museum, theatres, academies of arts and sciences, colleges &c. for their magnificence corresponds with that of the other objects I have mentioned. But I have only room here for a short description of the emperor's library. Catherine commenced this in '95. Her armies in Poland captured the city of Versovious, in which was a library belonging to the Republic, of 262,640 volumes, and 24,573 maps and stamps or prints. The empress ordered them to be transported to Petersburgh, and they are now deposited in an immense building erected for the purpose by Alexander. The books are classed according as they relate—1st. to the arts; 2dly to science, and 3dly philology or belles letters, and each class is subdivided into orders, &c. by which, there is no need of referring to the general catalogue when any particular book is wanted. In 1805 the library of a Mr. Daubroussky was added, which for manuscripts ancient and rare, is perhaps unparallelled in Europe. Many of them are twelve or thirteen centuries old; and among modern ones, are some original letters of Phillip and Isabella of Spain upon the discovery of America. I do not despair of obtaining copies of these for some of our historical societies. They were found in the Bastile in France, with the letters of a great many other monarchs to the Kings of France. Mr. D. being ambassador to France at that time, made a vast collection of them from the rabble who took the Bastile. The library is conducted by a director general, seven librarians, and seven adjunct do. one guardian of manuscripts and one assistant. By an order of the emperor a copy of every book published in the empire is deposited here. In the report of 1817, there were besides duplicates of books, and besides pamphlets, 300,000 volumes, and 13,000 manuscripts.

ALEXANDRIA:
SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1819.

LIST OF ACTS,
Passed at the Second Session of the Fifteenth Congress

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An act for the relief of Kenzie and Forsyth.

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An act allowing further time to complete the issuing and locating of military land warrants.

An act making provision for the claim of M. de Vienne.

An act for the relief of Benjamin Pool.

An act providing additional penalties for false entries for the benefit of drawback, or bounty on exportation.

An act directing the payment of certain bills, drawn by General Armstrong, in favor of William Morgan.

An act for the relief of Henry Davis.

An act for the relief of Adam Kinsley, Thomas French, and Charles S. Leonard.

An act to establish a judicial district in Virginia, west of the Alleghany mountain.

An act to incorporate the medical society of the District of Columbia.

An act for the relief of Samuel H. Hooker.

An act to incorporate the provident association of clerks in the civil department of the government of the U. States, in the District of Columbia.

An act making appropriations for the military service of the U. S. for the year eighteen hundred and nineteen.

An act making appropriations for the support of the navy of the U. S. for the year eighteen hundred and nineteen.

An act for the relief of Daniel Renner, and Nathaniel H. Heath.

An act to authorize the payment, in certain cases, on account of treasury notes which have been lost or destroyed.

Aa act for the relief of *William* Barton.

An act concerning the western District court of Pennsylvania.

An act making a partial appropriation for the military service of the U. S. for the year one thousand eight hundred and nineteen, and to make good a deficit in the appropriation for holding treaties with the Indians.

An act granting to Mehitable Cole, the lands therein mentioned.

An act for the relief of Major General John Stark.

An act anthorising the distribution of a sum of money among the representatives of Commodore Edward Preble, and the officers and crew of the brig Syren.

An act for the relief of the legal representatives of Alexander Montgomery deceased.

An act to authorize the president and managers of the Rockville and Washington Turnpike Road Company, of the state of Maryland, to extend and make their Turnpike road to and from the boundary of the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, through the said district to the line thereof.

An act authorising the election of a delegate from the Michigan territory, to the Congress of the U. States, and extending the right of suffrage to the citizens of the said territory.

An act for the relief of Sampson S. King.

An act for the relief of Samuel H. Harper.

An act for the relief of Thomas B. Farish.

An act to encrease the number of clerks in the Department of War.

An act for the relief of William B Lewis.

An act for the relief of Frederick Brown.

An act to alter the time of holding the circuit court, in the southern district of New-York, and for other purposes.

An act for the relief of Doctor Mottron Ball.

An act making appropriations for the support of government, for the year 1819.

An act to establish a separate territorial government in the southern part of the territory of Missouri.

An act for the relief of Robert M'Call and Matthew H. Jouett.

An act regulating passenger ships and vessels.

An act supplementary to the act, entitled An act to provide for the prompt settlement of public accounts.

An act authorising the Postmaster General to contract, as in other cases, for carrying the mail in steam boats, between New-Orleans, in the state of Louisiana, and Louisville, in the state of Kentucky.

An act to incorporate a company to build a bridge over the Eastern Branch of the Potomac, between eleventh and twelfth streets, east, in the city of Washington.

An act explanatory of an act, entitled "An act for the final adjustment of land titles in the state of Louisiana, and territory of Missouri."

An act concerning invalid pensions.

An act for the relief of Hannah King and others.

An act for the relief of George M. Brooke and Edmund P. Kennedy.

An act in addition to the acts prohibiting the slave trade.

An act to authorise the secretary at war, to appoint an additional agent for paying pensioners of the United States in the state of Tennessee.

An act regulating the payment of invalid pensioners.

An act for the relief of B. and P. Jourdan brothers.

An act further to suspend, for a limited time, the sale or forfeiture of lands for failure in completing the payment thereon.

An act respecting the location of certain sections of lands to be granted for the seat of government in the state of Indiana.

An act to continue in force for a further term the act, entitled An act for establishing trading houses with the Indian tribes, and for other purposes.

An act to repeal part of an act passed on the 27th day of February, 1813, "entitled An act in addition to an act regulating the Post-Office establishment."

An act to protect the commerce of the United States, and punish the crime of piracy.

An act to enable the people of the Alabama territory to form a canstitution and state government, and for the admission of such state into the union, on an equal footing with the original states.

An act for the relief of John B. Timberlake.

An act to regulate the pay of the army when employed on fatigue duty.

An act confirming the claim of Alexander Macomb to a tract of land in the territory of Michigan.

An act supplementary to the act concerning the coasting trade

An act to authorize William Prout to institute a bill in equity before the circuit court of the district of Columbia, against the commissioner of the public buildings, and to direct a defence therein.

An act supplemental to the act entitled "An act further to amend the charter of the city of *Washington*."

An act to increase the salaries of certain officers of government.

An act to provide for the removal of the Library of Congress to the north wing of the Capitol.

An act for the relief of John Clark.

An act authorizing the President of the United States, to purchase the lands reserved by the act of the third of March, 1817, to certain chiefs, warriors, or other Indians of the Creek nation.

An act providing for a grant of land for the seat of government in the state of Mississippi, and for the support of a seminary of learning within the said state.

An act to extend the jurisdiction of the circuit courts of the United States, to cases arising under the law relating to patents.

An act providing for the correction of errors in making entries of land at the land offices.

An act to continue in force an act regulating the currency within the United States, of the gold coins of Great Britain, France, Portugal, and Spain, and the crowns of France, and five franc pieces.

An act making provision for the civilization of Indian tribes adjoining the frontier settlements.

An act for the relief of Nathaniel G. Birdseye and Daniel Booth.

An act granting a donation of land to the state of Illinois, for the seat of goverument of said state.

An act to designate the boundaries of districts, and establish land offices for the disposal of public lands, not heretofore offered for sale, in the states of Ohio and Indiana.

An act in addition to "An act concerning tonnage, and discriminating duties in certain cases."

An act for the relief of Harold Smyth.

An act for the reliefof Daniel Moss.

An act tor the relief of Joseph Wheaton.

An act to regulate the duties on certain wines.

An act making appropriation for the public buildings, &c.

An act for the relief of Minis and Henry, and others.

An act in behalf of the Connecticut Asylum for teaching the deaf and dumb.

An act for the relief of Henry Batman.

An act to alter and establish certain post roads.

An act for building lighthouses, &c. in Buzzard, Boston, and Chesepeake bay, and on Lakes Ontario and Erie, &c.

An act to enable the President to take possession of East and West Florida, &c,

An act for the relief of John Rice Jones.

An act to settle the claims to land and establish land offices east of the island of New Orleans.

EXTRACT OF A LETTER.

St. Stephins, (A. T.) Jan. 11.

"Pensacola remains in the possession of the American garrison; would to God it could become American property It is a beautiful scite for a large commercial town, possessing among advantages one among the first bays and harbors on the whole American sea coast: and from the continual fine sea breezes, and an abundance of the very best of spring water, I have no doubt would with a tolerable police, be one of the healthiest situations in the southern country; and as the bay receives all the waters of the Escambia, Conauch, Murder Creek, Pine Barren, &c. &c.; so were the town American, property, would receive the produce of all the fertile lands on those streams." [*Charleston Courier.*

Halifax Feb. 17.

The commercial Treaty, between Great Britain and the United States, concluded at London on the 20th October, and ratified at Washington on the 30th ult. by President Monroe, was received here on Thursday last from Boston, and will be found in the last page of our paper.—The most important article of it, is that which relates to the Fisheries: Americans are now permitted to catch Fish on the Coasts of Newfoundland and Labrador, and the shores of the Magdalen Islands, &c.; to cure them in the unsettled Bays or Harbors on the said Coasts; and to enter any of the British Ports in North America for supplies of Wood and Water, or for the purpose of repairing damages sustained by their vessels. This is a concession, on our part which we much regret should ever have been made—it will be attended with very great advantages to the United States; and, we fear, will prove extremely injurious to the interest of this part of the British Empire. Our hardours will now become the resort of American vessels (for excuses to enter them can never be wanting); smuggling will be carried on to any extent with the utmost facility; and the Fishermen, and other Settlers, supplied with whatever articles of provision, &c. they may require, without sending to the Halifax market for them.

We feel much pleasure in observing, however, that no permission is given, by the treaty, to Americans, to trade with our *W. I.* Islands. This is a circumstance highly important to Nova-Scotia; and will, we have no doubt, give a very great spur to the enterprising spirit of our mercantile friends.

LIMING SEED WHEAT.

A respectable correspondent informs us, that unslacked lime has been found to answer an excellent purpose, in preparing wheat for seed. This gentleman states that he put about four or five pounds of *quick lime* into a sufficient quantity of water to soak one bushel of wheat, which he sewed the last spring, then added the wheat, and permitted it to remain about twelve hours. The lime by slacking raised the temperature of the water to blood heat, and the wheat became soft and apparently par boiled. On sowing it, however, it began to sprout much sooner than usual, flourished remarkably, and produced an excellent crop, entirely free from any appearance of smut—The above is probably the least expensive, and most efficacious mode of preparing wheat for seed, that has yet been discovered. [*Milton Intel.*

TO FARMERS.

The practice of sowing wheat on a clover sod, with one ploughing has been much recommended both in England and the U. States as being attended with complete success in raising good crops, and also in improving the lands, but some farmers in trying the experiment, have failed altogether by ploughing too shallow, by which the grass and weeds ahead choak up the wheat. Let not this be a discouragement; but rather try it again in a proper manner Turn down the sod, whether it be clover, timothy, or herd grass, with a good plough and a strong team, so deep as completely to prevent their growing to the injury of the crop. The field may be broken up in the eighth month, the manure spread on immediately, and well harrowed in—and then in proper season cross ploughed lightly, and sown about a bushel to the acre

By this management the wheat grows well in the fall and generally produces a good crop of clean grain at harvest.—Note, the more grass is turned down, the better, provided it be well covered. [*Ibid.*

By Last Evening's Mail.

From the New-York, Gazette March 3.

We have received from Capt. Bourne, of the Hippomenes, Curracoa papers of the 30th of January, which contain the following:—

Curracoa, Jan. 30.

The English schr Beckles, arrived here on Wednesday afternoon, 3 days from Margaretta, and brings letters to the 24th inst. from which the following are extracts:—

Margaretta, January 21.

There is little news here. The army has marched to open the campaign; and by a courier yesterday, from Augustura, we learn of the arrival of Col. English, with 2500 British troops.

San Juan Griego, Margante, Jan. 24.

A British force has arrived at Guira, consisting of 2500 men. Brion remains in Pampatar. Joli has sailed with a squadron of eight vessels, of which he has the command. Their destination is unknown.

Maj. Gen. Conrane, commander in chief of the British forces in Jamaica, and suite, has arrived at Port Royal, from England

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By this sum, received of different persons, as fees due to the house - -	195 27
By this sum, received for turnips raised on the lot & sold	24 36
By this sum, refunded to the present trusteess, by Thomas Parsons, the late keeper, on the 24th of April, 1818	119 65
By this sum, received from Samuel Harper, late president of the trustees - -	85 79
By balance due the trustees	189 76
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Errors excepted
REUBEN JOHNSTON,
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Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA....March 5.

ARRIVED,

Sloop Hornet, Simmons, from New-York, via. Norfolk—potatoes, cheese, rum, ironware, &c. to the master.

Schr. Betsey & Mary, Frazier, 12 days fr. Fredericksburg—bran, to Robt. Hume

Schr. Lucinda, Gaines, 18 days from Boston; plaster, to J. H. Ladd & Co.—seven passengers,

CLEARED.

Schnr. Union, Kinchly, Bermuda.

Schr. Planter, Wolf, with rum, molasses, coffee, &c. cl. at Norfolk 2d inst. for this port.

Schr. Lady's Delight, Benedict, at N. York 3d inst. up for this port.

Brig Harriet, Russel, from Boston for this port, 27 thult.

Ship Winifred, Hodgkinson of this port, at Marseilles 12th Dec. for Boston, via Palermo, in a few days.

For Bermuda,

The brig GEORGE, E. Wallis, master. 500 barrels are wanted to complete her cargo, which, if offered before Tuesday next, she will then commence loading: it will be taken on moderate terms. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have just received and for sale
250 boxes Muscatel and bloom } Raisins
20 casks
150 boxes mould candles Sampson's brand, assorted sizes. March 6

Chairs and Tables.

JUST received at the cabinet warehouse, on the corner of Prince and Union streets,
3 dozen elegant fancy rush bottom chairs
1 dozen mahogany tables
IN STORE,
A general assortment of goods in the cabinet and chair line, and more daily expected. SAMUEL WARD.
March 6

Navy Yard Bridge Stock.

NOTICE is hereby given, that books will be opened on MONDAY the 8th inst. at 11 o'clock, at Davis's hotel, in the city of Washington, by the Commissioners appointed by an act of Congress, passed the 24th of February last, entitled "An act to incorporate a company to build a bridge over the Eastern Branch of the Potomac, between 11th and 12th streets east, in the city of Washington," to receive subscriptions of stock, agreeably to the aforesaid act of Congress.
March 5 THE COMMISSIONERS

Cotton.

TWENTY-TWO bales excellent quality Georgia Upland—just received and for sale by T. H. HOWLAND.
january 4

Wheat.

E. CORNING wants to purchase 2000 bushels of good wheat —Vowells wharf. March 5

Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER will leave Alexandria in a few days for Bermuda, and offers his services to his friends, to transact any business they may require of him. Messrs. C. & I. P. Thompson are duly authorised to act for him in Alexandria,
JOHN TUCKER.
March 4 3t

Plaster Paris.

JOHN H. LADD. & Co.
OFFER for sale, landing per sloop Polly & Sylvia
75 tons plaster paris
5 barrels sugar. March 4

Notice.

THE stockholders of the Falls Bridge Turnpike Company and the stockholders in the Georgetown and Leesburg Turnpike Company are notified that the annual meeting of said Companies for the purpose of electing a President, Directors and Treasurer, for the ensuing year will be held at Semms' tavern in Georgetown, on Monday the 21st day of March next.
JOHN MURDOCH, Trsu'r
Of both companies.
March 1 t21M

Notice.

SAMUEL D HARPER having by deed of assignment made over to the subscriber all his property, real and personal, for certain purposes therein specified—this is to give notice to all persons who have claims against the said S. D. Harper to bring them in for adjustment; and all persons indebted to him are required to make immediate payment to me. JOSIAH H. DAVIS,
March 1 Assignee

Public Sale.

WILL be sold on THURSDAY the 11th of March, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the store occupied by S. D. Harper, on King-street, all his stock in trade, consisting of hats, furs and shoes and hatters' tools—And, immediately after a HOUSE and lot of ground, situate on Queen-street,—40 feet front, running back half the square to a 20 feet alley. Terms made known at place of sale.
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By this sum, received of different persons, as fees due to the house - - -	195 27
By this sum, received for turnips raised on the lot & sold	24 30
By this sum, refunded to the present trusteess, by Thomas Parsons, the late keeper, on the 24th of April, 1818	119 65
By this sum, received from Samuel Harper, late president of the trustees - -	85 79
By balance due the trustees	189 76
	$4382 15

Errors excepted
REUBEN JOHNSTON,
AMOS ALEXANDER, } Committee.
THOMAS JACOBS,
Poor and Work House, 27th Feb. 1819.

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA....March 5.

ARRIVED,

Sloop Hornet, Simmons, from New-York, via. Norfolk—potatoes, cheese, rum, ironware, &c. to the master.

Schr. Betsey & Mary, Frazier, 12 days fr. Fredericksburg—bran, to Robt. Hume

Schr. Lucinda, Gaines, 18 days from Boston; plaster, to J. H. Ladd & Co.—seven passengers,

CLEARED.

Schnr. Union, Kinchly, Bermuda.

Schr. Planter, Wolf, with rum, molasses, coffee, &c. cl. at Norfolk 2d inst. for this port.

Schr. Lady's Delight, Benedict, at N. York 3d inst. up for this port.

Brig Harriet, Russel, from Boston for this port, 27 thult.

Ship Winifred, Hodgkinson of this port, at Marseilles 12th Dec. for Boston, via Palermo, in a few days.

For Bermuda,

The brig GEORGE, E. Wallis, master. 500 barrels are wanted to complete her cargo, which, if offered before Tuesday next, she will then commence loading: it will be taken on moderate terms. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE,

Who have just received and for sale
250 boxes Muscatel and bloom } Raisins
20 casks
150 boxes mould candles Sampson's brand, assorted sizes. March 6

Chairs and Tables.

JUST received at the cabinet warehouse, on the corner of Prince and Union streets,
3 dozen elegant fancy rush bottom chairs
1 dozen mahogany tables

IN STORE,

A general assortment of goods in the cabinet and chair line, and more daily expected. SAMUEL WARD.
March 6

Navy Yard Bridge Stock.

NOTICE is hereby given, that books will be opened on MONDAY the 8th inst. at 11 o'clock, at Davis's hotel, in the city of Washington, by the Commissioners appointed by an act of Congress, passed the 24th of February last, entitled "An act to incorporate a company to build a bridge over the Eastern Branch of the Potomac, between 11th and 12th streets east, in the city of Washington," to receive subscriptions of stock, agreeably to the aforesaid act of Congress.
March 5 THE COMMISSIONERS

Cotton.

TWENTY-TWO bales excellent quality Georgia Upland—just received and for sale by T. H. HOWLAND.
january 4

Wheat.

E. CORNING wants to purchase 2000 bushels of good wheat —Vowells wharf. March 5

Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER will leave Alexandria in a few days for Bermuda, and offers his services to his friends, to transact any business they may require of him. Messrs. C. & I. P. Thompson are duly authorised to act for him in Alexandria,
JOHN TUCKER.
March 4 3t

Plaster Paris.

JOHN H. LADD. & Co.

OFFER for sale, landing per sloop Polly & Sylvia
75 tons plaster paris
5 barrels sugar. March 4

Notice.

THE stockholders of the Falls Bridge Turnpike Company and the stockholders in the Georgetown and Leesburg Turnpike Company are notified that the annual meeting of said Companies for the purpose of electing a President, Directors and Treasurer, for the ensuing year will be held at Semms' tavern in Georgetown, on Monday the 21st day of March next.
JOHN MURDOCH, Trsu'r.
Of both companies.
March 1 t21M

Notice.

SAMUEL D HARPER having by deed of assignment made over to the subscriber all his property, real and personal, for certain purposes therein specified—this is to give notice to all persons who have claims against the said S. D. Harper to bring them in for adjustment; and all persons indebted to him are required to make immediate payment to me. JOSIAH H. DAVIS,
March 1 Assignee.

Public Sale.

WILL be sold on THURSDAY the 11th of March, if fair, if not the next fair day, at the store occupied by S. D. Harper, on King-street, all his stock in trade, consisting of hats, furs and shoes, and hatters' tools—And, immediately after, a HOUSE and lot of ground, situate on Queen-street,—40 feet front, running back half the square to a 20 feet alley. Terms made known at place of sale.
J. H. DAVIS, Assignee.
S. A. MARSTELLER, Auctioneer.
March 1

GREAT LUCK AT
ALLENS'
IN ONE DAY.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY,

No. 357, highest prize,

20,000 Dollars,

Was sold in two halves to gentlemen of Baltimore—the one share on the very morning of the drawing.

No. 113, a capital of

5,000 Dollars,

Was sold in a half, a quarter, and two eighths, to a gentleman in Charleston, a gentleman in Alexandria, and a lady and gentleman in Baltimore.

No. 1305, a capital of

5,000 Dollars,

To two worthy and industrious mechanics in South-street, Baltimore.

No. 122, a prize of 1000,
Was remitted by mail to a foreign correspondent.

No 145, a prize of 1000,
Was sold in shares to citizens of Baltimore.

No. 370, a prize of 1000,
Was sold to a young gentleman in Calvert-street in a whole ticket.

No. 384, a prize of 1000,
Remitted by mail.

No. 1018, a prize of 1000,
Remitted by mail to a gentleman in Philadelphia.

No. 1128, a prize of 1000,
Sold in shares, part to citizens of Baltimore, and a part to a gentleman from Alexandria.

No. 1133, a prize of 1000,
Remitted by mail to a gentleman in Virginia a short time previous to the drawing.

No. 1144, a prize of 1000,
(A single ticket) remitted by mail to a gentleman in N. York.

No. 1317, a prize of 1000,
Divided in shares, and sold principally to residents of Baltimore.

By a comparison of the foregoing list of splendid capitals obtained at the lucky office, with the original scheme, it will be seen that more capital prizes, and a greater amount, in this lottery, have been sold at

ALLENS'
Truly Lucky Office,

Than at any other Office.—It will be remembered that

No. 3320, $100,000,

No 1536, 50,000, No. 321, 50,000,

Highest prizes in the late lotteries, were from the same source.

All Tickets examined gratis.—Cash advanced for Prizes. Prize Tickets received in payment for undrawn Tickets in the University Lottery. 6t March 2

Jesse S. Wilson,

AT the instance of several of the inhabitants of this place, has opened an

English School,

in St. Asaph-street, contiguous to *Edward Stabler's* residence. The number of scholars at this time not reaching the limitation, a few may be admitted, on application to either of the subscribers; of whom also further information, if required, may be obtained.
M. MILLER,
EDWARD STABLER,
ELISHA C. DICK,
RICHARD H LITLE,
3d mo. 5 GEORGE S. HOUGH.

Sack Salt.

LINDSAY & HILL, have just received per sloop OCEAN, from Norfolk, and for sale
100 sacks fine Liverpool salt
Also, just received in store
100 sides sole leather Feb 27

Clover Seed.

AN additional supply of fresh CLOVER SEED, is this day received andon sale by T. CRUSE.
February 20

Notice.

BY virtue of a deed of trust secured to me by William H. Hayes, dated the 18th of May, 1817, to secure to Sarah Ewell, the sum of 800 dollars in the said deed mentioned, will be sold to the highest bidder for ready money, on the 4th day of April before the court-house door in the town of DUMFRIES, all the residue of a certain tract of land, containing by estimation ———, (after first laying off 300 acres adjoining the main road leading from Dumfries to Occoquan, being a part of said tract of land,) it being the land that was conveyed by the said Sarah Ewell, to the said William H. Hayes lying in said county of Prince William to satisfy the said Sarah Ewell, her debt, interest and costs as expressed in said deed. The said land is situated near the town of Dumfries in the county of Prince William.
CHAS. EWELL.
Feb 27 3w Trustee.

For Sale.

A VALUABLE negro man, 30 years old, an excellent wagoner, ploughman and ostler, and accustomed to the various kinds of field work—also, a young negro woman, 20 years old, together with her child, a boy about 2 years old. The woman is an expert plantation and house servant.

As these negroes have committed no fault they will be sold only to residents in the neighborhood of Alexandria.—Enquire of the Printer. Feb. 26

Sugar and Beef.

FIFTY barrels Muscovado sugar
70 barrels No. 1 beef
Landing from sloop Joseph and for sale by
jan 25 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

District of Columbia, to wit:

WHEREAS a libel hath been filed by George Lake, for himself and others, against the schr Retaliation and all others concerned, stating that the said schr Retaliation, a wreck, lying sunk upon the point opposite the fish wharf, Alexandria, Maryland side of the river, being completely cut through with the ice, and the said George Lake having, at the request of Wm. R. Maddox, one of the owners of the said schr. at great labor and expense, got up the said schr. and bro't her safe to the wharf at Washington—and whereas the hon. Wm. Cranch judge of the District court for the District of Columbia, having ordered that a special District court for the trial of the above case be holden at the Court House in the town of Alexandria, on MONDAY, the eighth day of March next at 10 o'clock A. M: This is therefore to cite and admonish all persons whatsoever having or pretending to have any right, title, interest or claim in, and to the said schooner, Retaliation, to be and appear at the same time and place aforesaid before the Judge aforesaid, to shew cause, if any they have, why a reasonable salvage should be decreed thereout to the libellant and all others entitled.
DANIEL MINOR, D. M. for
TENCH RINGGOLD, M. D. C.
February 18

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale at reduced prices, for approved paper at long dates
55 hhds West-India rum
68 N. E. rum
30 bls do do
15 hhds and 10 bls India Point and common gin
1 hhd and 1 bbl cherry bounce
10 bbls coloring
64 boxes white Havana sugar
23 brown do
80 hhds retailing molasses
26 bags green Havana coffee
20 chests young hyson tea
1 chest imperial do
350 boxes mould candles
25 do dipped do
97 do yellow and brown soap
50 do fancy soap
27 tons Russia old sable iron
200 pieces Russia sheetings
37 bales and cases English, India, German and domestic goods
18 boxes men's and boy's coarse and fine hats
3 cases large and small combs
20 frails Arabian dates
12 boxes Turkey figs
40 do Muscatel raisins
3 casks lemon juice
Cassia mustard and ginger
Pipes, half pipes and quarter casks Scotts and other Madeira and Sicily Madeira wines
Reams writing, sugar loaf, wrapping and sheathing paper
Bales English herring seine twine
1 bbl indigo
25 casks red ore
400 casks lime
1500 bushels loose lime
100 M clear and merchantable boards
2000 bushels Albany oats
2700 bushels Isle of May salt
3000 do Liverpool coarse do
600 do Lisbon do
15 casks Connecticut cheese
Boxes dun codfish
25 bls prime pork
10 navy beef
60 No. 2 herrings
35 casks English powder, lying in the powder house
5 cases men's and boy's shoes
50 boxes double refin'd Italian brimstone
25 Connecticut ploughs
Clocks, time pieces and mahogany furniture
Weavers' reeds or slays
Nest measures, boxes, gin cases and shaving boxes
100 grindstones
Yawl boats
110 kegs large and small twist manufactured tobacco
4 bales hops
15 tons fustic
15 crates and hhds Liverpool ware
40 boxes window glass, of various sizes
Cordage, handspikes, mast hoops, hanks, &c. &c. March 1

Hemp and Sugars.

TWENTY tons very superior clear Russia hemp.
32 barrels Muscarado sugars,
Landing from brig Ventrosa, capt Allen, from Boston, for sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 1

Wanted,

A YOUNG MAN of sober and steady habits, to superintend a fishery. None need apply but one who is well acquainted with seine hauling, and can come well recommended. Enquire of the Printer.
February 24

Prime Chewing Tobacco.

ONE HUNDRED kegs superior quality, Burclay's approved brand 8's 12's and lb. twist, warranted, just received and for sale by JOHN JACKSON & Co.
March 1 2w Agents.

Notice.

THE partnerships of Patons & Butcher, John W. Massie & Co. and Ezra Kinsey & Co. being dissolved by the decease of Jno. B. Paton as far as relates to his interest in those concerns, notice is hereby given to those persons indebted, whose time of Credit has expired, that payment of their accounts is required immediately.
WILLIAM PATON,
JONATHAN BUTCHER,
JOHN W. MASSIE,
EZRA KINSEY.
1 Mo. 29 d6tthstu4w

To Rent.

A PLEASANTLY situated two story BRICK HOUSE near the corner of Cameron and Patrick streets—possession may be had on the 18th inst. Enquire of Mr. John Suter.
March 2 tuths6t*

Fish Barrels and Salt.

TWELVE hundred fish barrels, superior quality, which will be sold low.
6000 bushels salt, suitable for the fisheries.

ALSO,

Cordage and cork for seines, for sale by
Feb 18 tf A. ADAMS,
Central wharf.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the inhabitants of Alexandria and its vicinity, that he has re-commenced the above business, opposite the Mechanics' Bank, King-street, and intends keeping on hand a handsome assortment of ladies' and gentlemen's boots and shoes of all descriptions of his own manufacture, at as reasonable prices as can be had in town, and of good quality, as he is determined none shall excel him in the District for fashion, durability and neatness, and hopes by his strict attention, to merit a share of public patronage

All orders and measures will be strictly attended to and executed on the shortest notice.

Two apprentices wanted to the above business: boys from the country will be preferred. JAMES C. WHITE.
February 24

SALES AT AUCTION.

Public Sale.

On WEDNESDAY, the 10th inst. at 3 P. M.

Will positively be sold to the highest bidder, on the premises, an excellent, commodious and well finished two story brick dwelling house, with out-houses, &c. and lot of ground, situate on King-street, a few doors above the diagonal pump. The lot is 27 feet in front, by 60 deep.—The house at present occupied by Mr David House as a tavern.—Terms Cash.
S. A. MARSTELLER, Auct'r.
March 5

Public Sale,

PURSUANT to a decree of the U. S. circuit court for the District of Columbia for the county of Alexandria, will be sold on the premises on the 12th day of *March* next, a lot of ground, on which is erected a frame tenement situate on the north side of Duke street and to the westward of Alfred street in the town of Alexandria—21 feet 3 inches front and 86 feet deep to an alley 20 feet wide—subject to an annuity or rent charge of 26 66-100 per annum. Terms at sale
Feb 19 A. MOORE, Commis'r.

Richmond Coal.

THE cargo of the schr. Erie, lying at Ramsay's wharf, of Heth's best coal, for sale by
JOHN JACKSON & Co.
February 25

Robert Gray

HAS just received per schr Dash, from New-York, a consignment of superfine, hot pressed, gilt and plain letter paper: superfine cap, demy, medium, royal and super royal writing paper, ruled and plain, suitable for blank account books; all of which will be sold at a small advance by the ream for cash only, or bound to order in a manner combining neatness and durability. February 22

St. Ubes Salt & Lemons.

FOR SALE, the cargo of the schooner Union, captain Swain, from St. Ubes;
3000 bushels St. Ubes salt
25 boxes lemons
Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 12

Houses and Stores

To Rent.

TWO brick houses and stores at the corner of King and Henry streets
One brick house and store on King, between Patrick and Henry streets
Two brick houses on Cameron-street, near the theatre
One brick house on Royal-street, for the time of the late occupant, Chas. Tyler.
Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
N. B. Sundry building lots on Fairfax, Duke, Prince, Cameron, Pitt, Queen and Royal streets, for sale or on ground rent.
February 13

To Rent,

That new brick dwelling, pleasantly situated on King-street, opposite A. C. Cazenove's Esqr. and now occupied by S. Harper, Esqr. Also a store and ware house, with dry, floored cellars, fitted up for business, at the south west corner of King and Patrick streets: and a comfortable frame dwelling house, with stable and garden, nigh to the above. Possession of any of the property may be had immediately. RICHARD. SLADE, Who having relinquished business, desires all accounts to be handed for settlement at his father's counting room jan 29

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, March Term, } 1819.

ORDERED, that the Executors of John Gardner Ladd, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for six weeks in the Alexandria newspapers.
A Copy,
Teste, A. MOORE, Reg. of wills

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

That the subscribers, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters testamentary on the estate of John Gardner Ladd, late of the county aforesaid, deceased. All persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscribers, with the vouchers thereof, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 6th day of Sept'r. next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 6th day of February, 1819.
SARAH LADD, Executrix.
JOHN H. LADD, Executor
of John G. Ladd, deceased

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, March Term, } 1819.

ORDERED, That the administrator of John B. Paton, deceased, do insert the usual notice to creditors, three times a week, six weeks, in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.
Teste, A. MOORE, Reg. Wills.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' court of said county, letters of administ ation on the personal estate of John B. Paton, late of the county aforesaid, deceased.—All persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, with the vouchers thereof, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 6th day of September next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate; and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 6th day of February, 1819.
CHARLES M'KNIGHT,
Administrator of John B. Paton dec's.

HOUSES, LANDS &c.

Building Lots for Sale.

SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
October 13 tf

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the *Ware-houses* thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to
WM. HERBERT, jr.
August 25 tf

To Let,

THAT convenient Brick house on Royal street, now occupied by Mr. Charles Tyler—possession to be had the 22nd of December next—for terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
November 3

To Rent,

A convenient BRICK Dwelling house, at the upper end of King-st suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops.—Apply to JAMES SANDERSON.
November 12

Houses for Sale.

The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business.

Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, esq. for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented.

☞ All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured. Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
September 28 dtf

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary out-house, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensils and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pohick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.
September 4 GEORGE MASON.

Valuable Property for Sale.

THE subscriber is desirous of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairfax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from Alexandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood—40 to 50 in thriving meadow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and rye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail fence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and convenient frame dwelling house and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There is on this place a rich and productive garden, and a large body of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as nutricious as the best timothy or clover.—With the farm would be sold a number of very valuable horses, cows and sheep; waggon, carts, and a variety of farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and rye, and 40 tons hay. Also, adjoining the one above described, a farm containing 160 acres, recently enclosed, on which is a brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a considerable part might be easily converted into meadow.—it would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To prevent unnecessary application, he would observe, that they will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be carried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his household furniture, which is new and handsome. For terms of all or any part of the above property, apply to NOBLET HERBERT, esq. or
Oct FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

For Rent.

A very convenient dwelling house in the lower part of Royal-st. adjoining the house now occupied by Mr. Generes. Possession may be had immediately.
JOHN T. BROOKS.
january 1

For Rent,

A convenient two story framed dwelling house, pleasantly situated, between Water and Gibbon streets. Possession will be given immediately. For terms apply to
ROBERT HUNTER.
january 2

Aromatic **Snuff,**

For Catarrh *Headache.*

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeble fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge, mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by
JAMES KENNEDV & SON,
Sole Agents for Alexandria.
September 24 tf

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: November Term, } 1818.
IN CHANCERY.
Samuel Smith, *Complainant,*
AGAINST
Leonard Mudd and John Cohagen, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Leonard Mudd not having entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, John Cohagen, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Leonard Mudd, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.
A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 25

District of Columbia:

County of Alexandria, *ss.* November Term, } 1818.

ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Rezin Webster, to show cause, on the first day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of *William R. Webster,* should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said *William Webster,* according to law. It is ordered that this rule, as to *Rezin Webster,* be published in one of the Alexandria newspapers three weeks successively.
A Copy,
Teste, EDM. I. LEE, C. C.
january 26 d3w

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit, November Term, } 1818.
IN CHANCERY.
Philip Triplett and Christopher Neale, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Triplett & Neale, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas Vanname, Joseph Miligan, James B. Holmead, John Withers and Reuben Withers, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, Robert McCrea and William Gregory, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Robert McCrea & Co.; Thomas H. Beall, *William* Cooper; Samuel Lindsay and Laurence Hill, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Lindsay & Hill; Thomas Janney and John D. Brown, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Thomas Janney & Co.; Bryan H. Mullin, Bryan Hampson and Robert H. Harrison, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Bryan H. Mullin & Co.; Anthony Holmead, John Stetinius, John Ingle and Eleazer Lindsay, under the firm of Ingle & Lindsay, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Thomas H. Beall, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.
A copy
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 26

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to Wit: November Term, } 1818.
IN CHANCERY.
John Withers and Reuben Withers, trading under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas Swann, Colin Auld and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse and Rounsavell, George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller, Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Semmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, executor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, *Defendants.*

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the president and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the president and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for 2 months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.
A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I LEE, C C.
january 21 th2m

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: November Term, } 1818.
IN CHANCERY.
The Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas W. Peyton and William H. Dundass, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Thomas W. Peyton not having entered his appearance to this suit, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant Thomas W. Peyton, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, William H. Dundass, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas *W.* Peyton, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the public newspapers published in this county, for two months successively; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house in said county.
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Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 22

To Ship-owners,

MASTERS OF VESSELS & OTHERS

THE subscriber (late from England) mathematical instrument maker, offers his services to clean and repair all sorts of *Ship's Compasses, Quadrants, Sextants, &c.* in the best manner, at his house on Prince street, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets.
Oct 31 DANIEL MUNRO.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to Wit: November Term, } 1818.
IN CHANCERY.
Joseph Tidball, *Complainant,*
AGAINST
Thomas Swann, Colin Auld, and Edmund I. Lee, assignees of the late Merchants' Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the firm of Corse & Rounsavell; George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller; Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville and Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Semmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, Executor of William Tyler; Ambrose Vase, Robert N Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburgh, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, *Defendants.*

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.
A copy
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 27 w2m

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: November Term, } 1818.
IN CHANCERY.
Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, *Complainants,*
AGAINST
Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Paton & Butcher; and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Thomas Roberts not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of the Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Thomas Roberts is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Thomas Roberts, do appear here on the first day of the next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in this county, for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.
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Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 22

Wheat.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given. THOMAS V. HUCK.
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District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: November Term, } 1818.
IN CHANCERY.
James Sanderson, *Complainant,*
AGAINST
Catherine F. McCall; and John Creighton and William Gilham, the two last under the firm of John Creighton & Company, *Defendants.*

THE defendant Catherine F. McCall not having entered her appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, John Creighton & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of the said county.
A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
january 25

PROPOSALS
BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription,
A BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS
TO THE
Declaration of Independence,
ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES;

To which will be annexed a history of the proceedings of congress during the passage of the law, and the Declaration itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures.

By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC.

IT seems a little surprising that amongst so many subjects as have been presented for American Biography, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to the Declaration of Independence have been overlooked or disregarded. The eyes of thousands have dwelt with rapture upon the document that announced to the world that "these United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free, sovereign, and independent states;" while we are better acquainted with the handwriting than with the characters of many of those illustrious men who have added their signatures to that instrument. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with a few splendid exceptions, gone to their graves, and it behoves a generous posterity, sensible of their obligations, to preserve their fame. The longer we neglect the payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become.—Traits of individual character are fugitive and evanescent; and if they are not snatched by the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an early season, from the cold grasp of death, will soon partake of the oblivion of the body.—It is not the object of the present attempt, to deal in that profusion of indiscriminate and unsparing panegyric, so often and so falsely dignified with the name of Biography: we wish to represent the characters as they were; they stand in need of no panegyric; and we earnestly solicit from the surviving relations and friends of those revolutionary patriots all the information that will tend to a developement of character. Man is the creature of circumstance, and we wish to show the progress of those patriots from their first resistance of colonial aggression, until they stood forth the noble and undaunted champions of their country's independence. All this can only be done by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of these men, and whoever of the surviving friends or relatives will furnish facts and circumstances in their possession to unfold and illustrate their characters, shall be entitled to a copy of the work as a recompense. It is contemplated, wherever it is practicable, further to embellish the meditated work with correct likenesses of the subjects of our biography, executed by the most eminent artists in the country. For this purpose we again solicit the assistance of their surviving relatives and friends. If they will transmit to the publisher any engraving or portrait from which a copy may be taken, the original shall be faithfully returned, and shall likewise be remunerated with a copy of the work. In the first number it is proposed to give an account of the Declaration of Independence, from the first motion that was made on the floor of congress until its final passage into a law, a period embracing much curious and secret history: finally, we promise to add to our last number the Declaration of Independence itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures. We have now compendiously stated the objects of our present undertaking, and we hope that it will be unnecessary to mention that no exertions on our part shall be spared.

The public are now in possession of our project, which does indeed seem to be demanded, by the avidity so recently displayed for the possession of the Declaration of Independence, since it is of very little import to become acquainted with a man's hand writing without a previous knowledge of the man. The secret history of our Declaration of Independence, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to that instrument, accompanied by their likenesses, and finally the Declaration itself with fac-similes of the signatures, will bring into one compact view the prominent facts of that interesting crisis.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work will be published in numbers, or half volumes, of 150 pages octavo, and will be contained in ten numbers.

II. It will be printed on fine paper made expressly for the purpose, and delivered to subscribers at two dollars and fifty cents per half volume or number, payable on delivery.

☞ Subscriptions will be received at the office of the Alexandria Gazette.
December 29

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For Bermuda,

The brig GEORGE, E. Wallis master. 300 barrels are wanted to complete her cargo, which, if offered before Tuesday next, she will then commence loading: it will be taken on moderate terms. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have just received and for sale
250 boxes Muscatel and bloom } Raisin
20 casks }
150 boxes mould candles Sampson's brand, assorted sizes. March 6

For Freight,

The new and fast sailing brig Nereus, burthen 225 tons or about 2000 bbls. she is a superior copper fastened vessel, and daily expected from an Eastern port.

Also,

The schooner LAUREL, Thomas C. Stephens, master. She is a fine new vessel, of 100 tons burthen, for which a freight for Oporto or Lisbon would be preferred. She will probably be here in a few days. Apply to
February 24 JOHN H. LADD & Co.

For Freight,

The ship MARIA, J. Swaine, master, carries 3,600 barrels, is an excellent vessel, and in complete order to receive a cargo on board. Apply to
LAWARASON & FOWLE.

For Freight,

The fine fast sailing Schr. FARMERSFRIEND, A. Seemis, master burthen, 80 tons or 450 barrels. She is nearly new, and will be in complete order for the reception of a cargo in 8 days. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
2 mo 20

For Sale.

The elegant and very fast sailing sloop FRANCES, burthen 40 tons, nearly new, and in complete order.—Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.
2 mo 20

For Sale,

A small schooner, well calculated for the approaching fishing season.
ALSO,
Four casks real Bridport seine twine, with a general assortment of rope, tar, boards, scantling, shingles, &c. &c.
JOSIAH HEWES DAVIS.
February 15 3w

Liverpool salt and Coal.

FOR SALE, the cargo of the ship Hazard, W. Crabtree, jr. master, from Liverpool, of salt and coal. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Freight,

The ship HAZARD, burthen 3800 bbls is in complete order and ready to load as soon as her present cargo can be discharged. Apply as above.
january 19

For Freight,

The sloop ALERT, capt. Smith, carries about 450 barrels, an excellent vessel, and will take freight for any southern port. Apply to
jan 14 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Wheat.

E. CORNING wants to purchase 2000 bushels of good wheat—Vowells wharf. March 5

Marshal's Sale.

BY virtue of a decree of the court of the United States for the fifth circuit in the Virginia district, in a suit in chancery, wherein *Mary Wormeley,* wife of *Hugh Wallace Wormeley,* by *George F. Strother* her next friend, and *John S. Wormeley, Mary W. Wormeley, Jane B. Wormeley* and *Anne B. Wormeley,* infant children of the said *Mary* and *Hugh W.* by the said *George F. Strother* their next friend plaintiff, against *Hugh Wallace Wormeley, Thomas Strode, Richard Veitch, David Castleman* and *Charles McCormick,* defendants, will be sold at public auction on the *third day of February next,* if fair, if not, the next fair day, on the premises,

A Tract of Land

containing 300 acres, and also the reversion of fifty acres adjoining the same tract of 300 acres, lying and being in the county of Frederick and state of Virginia, situate on the north side of the Shenandoah river, and adjoining the said river about two miles below Snickers' ferry—one hundred acres of which is finely timbered, and the whole tract well watered with a never failing spring: the buildings are an excellent dwelling house, with other suitable outhouses, a good barn, corn house, blacksmith's shop, stable, &c. &c.

This land, I am told, has for the last seven years been highly improved with clover and plaster of Paris; upon the whole it is considered to be one among the best farms in the county, combining all the advantages of good society, salubrity of climate and fertility of soil. Terms of sale will be as follows: three thousand dollars in cash, or a negociable note with an endorser or endorsers to be approved of by the marshal of the said district, or his deputy who may act, and payable at one of the branches of the Farmers' bank of Virginia at Winchester, and the residue of the purchase money in three equal payments of one, two and three years; the purchaser or purchasers giving bonds and security or securities, to be approved of by the marshal or his deputy, with a deed of trust on the said land so sold, as a further security for the payments of the said bonds.
WILLIAM MANN, D. M.
For *ANDREW MOORE, Marshal.*

☞ The above Sale is postponed until the 20th of March.
Richmond, February 1